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## HOUSE MOTION \_\_\_\_\_

MR. SPEAKER:

I move that House Bill 1001 be amended to read as follows:

Page 113, line 36, delete "underthis" and insert "under this".

Page 113, line 43, delete "orschool" and insert "**or school**".

Page 114, between lines 33 and 34, begin a new paragraph and insert:

**"Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "accredited nonpublic school" means a nonpublic school that:**

**(1) voluntarily seeks; and**

**(2) receives;**

**accreditation as authorized under IC 20-1-1-6(a)(5)."**

Page 114, line 34, delete "2" and insert "**3**".

Page 114, between lines 37 and 38, begin a new paragraph and insert:

**"Sec. 4. As used in this chapter, "nonpublic school" has the meaning set forth in IC 20-10.1-1-3."**

Page 114, line 38, delete "3" and insert "**5**".

Page 114, line 42, delete "4" and insert "**6**".

Page 114, between lines 49 and 50, begin a new paragraph and insert:

**"Sec. 7. (a) As used in this section, "qualified student" means a student who is a member of a family that has a total family income that does not exceed one hundred seventy-five percent (175%) of the federal income poverty level for the same size family.**

**(b) A parent or guardian of a qualified student enrolled in an accredited nonpublic school's full day kindergarten program is entitled to receive a grant for education expenses incurred at the accredited nonpublic school.**

**(c) To receive a grant under this section, a qualified student must be enrolled in a full day kindergarten program that is implemented under a plan approved by the department of education. The accredited nonpublic school's approved plan must be submitted to the department of education for review and approval before January 1, 2000, to qualify parents to receive a grant for the 2000-2001 school year. An accredited nonpublic school that does not submit a plan in 1999 must submit a plan to the department of**

1 education for review and approval before January 1 of a year to qualify parents to receive a grant in  
 2 subsequent school years.

3 (d) A plan submitted under this section must comply with rules adopted under IC 20-1-22 and the  
 4 provisions of IC 20-1-22-2 applicable to an accredited nonpublic school.

5 (e) To receive a grant under this section the parent or guardian shall submit to the accredited nonpublic  
 6 school in which the student is enrolled an application on a form provided by the department of education.  
 7 If a qualified student is unable to enroll in an accredited nonpublic school because the school has too few  
 8 available spaces, the qualified student may transfer the student's application to an accredited nonpublic  
 9 school that has space available.

10 (f) Each accredited nonpublic school offering full day kindergarten under a plan approved by  
 11 department of education shall submit to the department proof of each qualified student's enrollment in  
 12 the accredited nonpublic school's full day kindergarten.

13 (g) Upon receipt from the pupil's parent or guardian of proof of the qualified student's enrollment in  
 14 the accredited nonpublic school, the department of education shall pay to the parent or guardian the  
 15 amount set forth in subsection (h). The department of education shall pay the amount as follows:

16 (1) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total amount due in September.

17 (2) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total amount due in November.

18 (3) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total amount due in February.

19 (4) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total amount due in May.

20 The department shall send the check to the accredited nonpublic school. The parent or guardian shall  
 21 restrictively endorse the check for the use of the accredited nonpublic school.

22 (h) The amount of a full day kindergarten grant allowed under this section is one thousand two hundred  
 23 dollars (\$1,200). "

24 Page 114, line 50, delete "5" and insert "8".

25 Page 115, line 8, delete "6" and insert "9".

(Reference is to HB 1001 as printed February 22, 1999)

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Representative Crawford